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Please do that. Thanks, and I look forward to hearing from you all.

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Randall,

If it helps, ORS is happy to arrange a conference call amongst the parties to discuss the logistics of the hearing and see to what extent we will need to work around each other's witness schedules, then report back to you.

Jenny

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## Dear Counsel:

Since my communication with all of you earlier today inquiring about setting dates certain for some of the ORS witnesses to testify, I have received similar requests from other parties. I have consulted Jo Wheat for advice on how best to manage this hearing, which looks to be unusually long, and I want to do everything I can to ensure that we allocate time efficiently and enable the Commission to complete this hearing in the most orderly way possible in the fewest days possible. To that end, before finalizing dates certain for any witnesses, I would request that the parties let everyone know (while knowing that this may change as we get closer to the hearing) whether they plan to present witnesses in panels, how many panels they plan to present, and how long they anticipate that their testimony will take. I know there are some indeterminate variables affecting the time it may take for parties to present their cases, but your best guesses would be helpful. Do the parties believe that there is a possibility we could finish on Friday, March 22? If not, how long do you all believe the case will continue into the following week? Your assessments are important to our planning efforts. The more information you can provide to me, the more effectively we can plan how to proceed. Thanks very much for your help.

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